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Ohio colleges LEED the way by making green commitments

Introduction

College recruiters work hard to attract prospective students. They flaunt their college for its academic achievements, its alumni and often its sports. But there is a new criterion moving its way up the list — sustainability. If a college isn't green, some students might choose a greener school. In a survey done by the

Princeton Review of 10,300 college applicants, 63 percent stated a college's commitment to the environment could affect their decision to attend. Students are looking into how sustainable their prospective colleges are and if they don't make the grade, then they don't make the cut.

Editor's note: This is part one in a three-part series looking at sustainability at six Ohio four-year public universities.

By Ella Fowler
and Gina Potthoff
The BG News

Some colleges in Ohio are making strides to incorporate sustainability into their curriculum.

The BG News decided to look at six Ohio four-year public universities — BGSU, Kent State University, University of Toledo, University of Cincinnati, Ohio University and Ohio State University — and their commitment to sustainability.

One way many schools have decided to show their commitment to "going green" is by making buildings on campus Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) certified.

According to the U.S. Green Building Council, a LEED building is a building that is designed and built using eco-friendly strategies. Of the six universities analyzed

for sustainability, all six said they are taking strides toward making campus buildings environmentally friendly. Both UC and KSU have made commitments to establishing all new buildings as LEED certified. UC has made this commitment since 2006 and KSU just made a commitment in 2009. At BGSU, two buildings under construction are being LEED certified: the Wolfe Center for the Arts and the Stroh Convocation Center. It is unknown if the two new residence halls under construction at BGSU will be LEED certified, Director of Sustainability Nick Hennessy said.

Although some universities are turning toward a more energy-friendly mindset, OSU Director of Energy Services and Sustainability Aparna Dial said OSU has been making sustainability efforts for "decades."

"The formalization of the [sustainability] program was

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Rooted in memories

Campus community dedicates tree in memory of Graduate Student Heather Ahuero

By Kate Snyder
Managing Editor

On the east side of the Education Building, in the lawn next to the parking lot, stands a newly-planted evergreen tree.

"It's a continual sign of life," said Liz Wenger, who helped organize the planting. "It's what we want to do to remember Heather."

The tree was planted in memory of Heather Ahuero, a second-year graduate student in the College Student Personnel program, who died last November. Friday afternoon, Ahuero's friends and co-workers gathered to remember her personality, character and the good times they shared.

Wenger began the event and started to say something, then paused.

"I brought this piece of paper today, and I'm not going to read it," she said.

Instead, she stood in front of approximately 40 people observing the event and spoke about her friend and the impact Ahuero had on campus.

Carolyn Palmer, an associate professor in higher education and student affairs, spoke next. She described Ahuero as "one of the happiest people I've ever known."

Palmer shared a story she heard from Ahuero's family about how on the first day of kindergarten, Ahuero woke her parents up in the middle of the night because she was ready to go.

Palmer said this commitment, this eagerness Ahuero showed at a young age stayed with her for the rest of her life.

Tim Shaal, the senior coordinator of academic programs in Residence Life, then got into the center of the semi-circle around the tree and commented on the myriad of people there to show Ahuero's impact on campus.

"Really, I got to know her this year," he said. He said once he began to get to know her, he noticed one aspect of her office first.

"One of the first things I noticed was a picture on her desk," Shaal said.

The picture was of Ahuero, her father and her sister in jumpsuits from the skydiving trip she took.

Shaal spoke about Ahuero's love of travel, adventure, nature and the students she advised.

"I think it really reflects the things she valued," he said about the tree.

When Shaal finished and as the HeeBeeBGs sang, two students went to the tree and began filling in the hole. They then passed the shovel along to more students, and each had a turn to cover the roots to help finish planting the tree.

During her reflection about Ahuero, Palmer also shared a poem by Will Allen Dromgoole, called "The Bridge Builder."

The poem is about a man who came across a chasm and, instead of turning around,

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PLANTED IN MEMORIAL: A tree was planted in memorial of Heather Ahuero, a grad student who passed away in November. Approximately 40 people attended the tree dedication Friday.

Tuesday's election has crucial BG issues on the ballot

Students going into education can help BG schools with votes

By Jason Henry
Assistant City Editor

Graduating education majors could have trouble finding jobs in the area if a proposed renewal levy for the Bowling Green City Schools fails.

A failed levy could cause a \$2.5 million cut in the district's budget that would eliminate teaching positions and limit the amount of new hires.

"[Renewal] means no new taxes or new money," said Hugh Caumartin, superintendent for Bowling Green City Schools.

The levy, which was originally established in 2005, is renewed every five years.

Caumartin said the \$2.5 million is roughly 10 percent of the school district's budget and the loss of it would have a huge impact.

"It would end up in everything from reduction of personnel, which would be significant, to

elimination of all athletic events and any other events that are supported by the schools outside of regular activities," Caumartin said. "In other words, all extracurricular activities."

George Offenberg, principal at Milton Elementary, said some budget cuts have already been put in place regardless of whether the levy passes or not.

"This year we've already experienced no student council and no field trips at all," Offenberg said.

These programs will not be reinstated even if the levy passes because the levy will not generate new revenue; it will just prevent a loss of money, he said.

Offenberg said the school district has received the same amount of funding from the state since 1998, which means a lot of the school's funding relies on local residents.

University students should vote

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THE DISTRICT'S GRADE GARD

■ Bowling Green City School District is ranked as "Excellent with Distinction," which is the highest ranking by the Ohio Department of Education's Report Card

■ Bowling Green Students at all grades have a 96 percent attendance rate and a 97 percent graduation rate from the high school

■ 54 percent of students taking the Ohio Graduation Test, in 2008-2009, scored at an "Accelerated or Advanced" level

■ 78 percent of Bowling Green teachers have a master's degree or higher

Source: George Offenberg

Parks department looks to make up \$1.4 million shortfall with passing of levy

By Jason Henry
Assistant City Editor

The Bowling Green Parks and Recreation department could lose up to 37 percent of its budget if a \$1.4 million replacement levy fails on May 4.

The owner of \$100,000 home will pay approximately \$44 a year in property taxes, or \$3.67 a month, if the levy passes.

The three-year levy would generate approximately \$770,000 a year for Bowling Green parks.

"It is our operating levy," said Parks and Recreation Director Michelle Grigore. "It keeps things running and keeps us able to repair structures."

Grigore said specific cuts are not known at this time.

"We haven't actually sat down to cut the 37 percent out of our budget," she said. "But it would be personnel and some of the parks services that people have come

to expect."

New cuts would be in addition to cuts already made.

"We've cut operating hours, we've cut staff and our wages have been frozen for the last two years," Grigore said. "So it isn't like we haven't been cutting the budget over the past four years."

Grigore said many of the cuts have gone unnoticed because the department didn't want reductions to affect service.

"I started raising fees and cutting some of our operating hours in 2006," Grigore said.

Fees have increased 30 percent to 100 percent depending on the service, according to a pamphlet released by the Citizens for Bowling Green City Parks.

Since 2004, fees went from 16 percent of the budget to 38 percent in 2008.

If the levy passes, Grigore said the department might be able to accomplish a few things the public has asked for, such as new

BOWLING GREEN PARKS AND RECREATION'S BUDGET

- 38 percent from user fees
- 37 percent from property tax levy
- 22 percent from income tax
- 3 percent from grants, donations and reimbursements

Source: Bowling Green Parks and Recreation Department

walking trails.

"We could probably squeeze those things in with the funding, but we don't anticipate increasing spending a great deal," she said. "The replacement levy does not bring in a lot of new money."

Grigore said if the levy were to fail, there would be an additional

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FORUM

What happened to writing?

The written word has lost some of its meaning, believes Josh Whetherholt, with many college classes focusing less on the crafting of prose | **Page 4**

General education has a purpose

While many gripe, students take general education courses that serve a purpose in rounding us out as individuals and can be applicable to any major, says Kyle Schmidlin | **Page 4**

SPORTS

BG wins series against Miami

The Falcons took on the Redhawks this weekend in a three-game series, winning the series but ending their 11-game win streak | **Page 7**

PEOPLE ON THE STREET

What issue would you put on the ballot?

KIMBERLY MORSE
Sophomore, English
"Driving barefoot should be illegal." | **Page 4**

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BLOTTER

THU., APRIL 29

12:14 a.m.

Jahmil Rippy, 22, of Bedford Heights, Ohio, and Amber Sanders, 23, of Chagrin Falls, Ohio, were cited for possession of marijuana within the 800 block of Third Road.

2:36 a.m.

Keith Johnson, 22, of Elmore, Ohio, was cited for disorderly conduct urinating within the 200 block of N. Main St.

3:18 a.m.

Complainant reported he was receiving harassing texts from a known subject.

3:55 p.m.

Complainant reported they were threatened by known subject in Wal-Mart.

11:27 p.m.

Michael Acosta, 24, of Rudolph, Ohio, was arrested for assault within the 500 block of W. Gypsy Lane Road.

11:52 p.m.

Resident within the 100 block of Troup Ave. was warned for disorderly conduct, loud music.

FRI., APRIL 30

12:25 a.m.

Brittany Fox, 19, of Clyde, Ohio, was cited for underage possession of alcohol within the 100 block of E. Court St.

12:26 a.m.

Christopher Strata, 38, of Bowling Green, was cited for sale to minors within the 100 block of N. Main St.

12:36 a.m.

Complainant reported he watched an unknown subject break his vehicle's windows within the 200 block of E. Wooster St., damage valued at \$400.

12:56 a.m.

Clarence Wilson II, 34, of Bowling Green, was cited for furnishing alcohol sales to underage person within the 100 block of N. Main St.

1:08 a.m.

Tyler Drewes, 23, of Bowling Green, was cited for disorderly conduct urinating in City Lot 4.

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1:21 a.m.
Daniel Dulik, 19, of Independence, Ohio, was cited for disorderly conduct and underage under the influence of alcohol on the corners of North Prospect and East Court streets.

2:02 a.m.

Zachary McVicker, 21, of Perrysburg, Ohio, was cited for disorderly conduct, urinating within the 200 block of N. Main St.

2:24 a.m.

Tami Mellons, 19, of Bowling Green, was cited for underage under the influence of alcohol when he was observed lying on the sidewalk on the corners of North Prospect and Ridge streets.

2:30 a.m.

Anthony Boyle, 20, of Bowling Green, was arrested for theft, criminal damaging, obstructing official business and underage under the influence of alcohol within the 100 block of N. Main St.

2:35 a.m.

Resident within the 200 block of S. Prospect St., was warned for disorderly conduct, loud people.

2:37 a.m.

Michael Ryba, 21, of Bowling Green, was cited for criminal trespass within the 200 block of E. Court St.

2:46 a.m.

Michael Kocon, 18, of Fairview Park, Ohio, for criminal damaging and James Wise, 19, also of Fairview Park, Ohio, was arrested for underage under the influence of alcohol within the 300 block of N. Main St.

8:41 a.m.

Complainant reported unknown subject entered his unlocked vehicle and stole an unknown amount of change and a check made out to the vehicle's owner within the 1500 block of E. Wooster St.

9:51 p.m.

Philip Roussey, 21, of Bowling Green, was cited for nuisance party and Nathan Szymanski, 20, of Bowling Green, was cited for nuisance party and disorderly conduct urinating in public within the 100 block of N. Prospect St.

11:06 p.m.

Andrew Holman, 20, of Greenville, Ohio, was cited for underage possession of alcohol on the corner of South College Drive and East Wooster Street.

11:40 p.m.

Tony Schoonover, 26, of Bowling Green, was cited for open container of alcohol on the corners of Pike and North Enterprise streets.

11:45 p.m.

Kenneth Moore II, of Uniontown, Ohio, was cited for littering: Audriana Rodriguez, 20, of Bowling Green, was cited for underage possession of alcohol and Kenzi Vonck, 19, of Williston, Ohio, was cited for underage under the influence of alcohol within the 300 block of Campbell Hill Road.

11:58 p.m.

Victoria Graham, 19, of Painesville, Ohio, was cited for underage possession of alcohol within the 300 block of Campbell Hill Road.

SAT., MAY 1

12:07 a.m.

Michael Lynch, 20, of Painesville, Ohio, was cited for underage possession of alcohol and Kyle Peters,

22, of Bowling Green, was cited for nuisance party within the 300 block of Campbell Hill Road.

12:22 a.m.

Amy Drennan, 23, of Maumee, Ohio, was cited for open container of alcohol within the 100 block of Grant St.

12:24 a.m.

Johnnie Pacheco, 19, of Bowling Green, was cited for underage possession of alcohol within the 100 block of Williams St.

12:35 a.m.

Resident within the 300 block of E. Merry Ave., was warned for nuisance party.

12:46 a.m.

Michael Flanders, 22, of Bowling Green, was cited for open container of alcohol on the corners of East Merry Avenue and North Enterprise Street.

12:48 a.m.

Caleb Lynch, 19, of Clyde, Ohio, was cited for underage possession of alcohol within the 300 block of Bentwood Lane.

12:52 a.m.

Tony Schoonover, 26, of Bowling Green, was cited for disorderly conduct urinating on the corners of North Main and Ridge streets.

1:07 a.m.

Mark Stuck, 19, of Oakwood, Ohio, was cited for open container of alcohol and underage possession of alcohol within the 300 block of E. Wooster St.

2:18 a.m.

Frank Ortiz, 21, of Bowling Green, was cited for criminal mischief within the 300 block of N. Main St.

2:37 a.m.

Michael Sofia, 20, of Bowling Green, was cited for underage possession of alcohol on the corners of East Oak and North Prospect streets.

2:49 a.m.

Complainants reported they were assaulted by a white male wearing a white shirt and jeans within the 200 block of N. Main St.

2:30 p.m.

Complainant reported unknown person stole her credit card and made several purchases including a \$1,000 purchase at Meijer.

7:03 p.m.

Samantha Grampone, 19, of Levanon, N.J., was cited for underage under the influence and open

container of alcohol on the corners of Second Street and South College Drive.

8:32 p.m.

Residents within the 500 block of Thurston Ave. were warned for loud music.

11:27 p.m.

Travis Green, 22, of Toledo, Ohio, and Janelle Hunter, 23, of Copley, Ohio, were cited for open container of alcohol within the 200 block of N. Main St.

11:29 p.m.

Residents within the 400 block of E. Court St., were warned for loud people, music.

11:47 p.m.

Jacob Cowell, 19, of Oregon, Ohio, was cited for open container of alcohol and underage possession of alcohol within the 800 block of E. Napoleon Road.

11:51 p.m.

Rebecca Harris, 25, of Gibsonburg, Ohio, was cited for open container of alcohol within the 200 block of N. Main St.

11:59 p.m.

Christopher Byrd II, 19, of Detroit, Mich., was cited for littering in a public area within the 200 block of N. Main St.

SUN., MAY 2

12:47 a.m.

Derek Webb, 22, of Delphos, Ohio, was cited for disorderly conduct, urinating within the 200 block of N. Main St.

1:08 a.m.

Jonathan Welch, 20, of Toledo, Ohio, was cited for criminal trespass within the 100 block of N. Main St.

1:15 a.m.

Aaron Kohnen, 20, of Wapakoneta, Ohio, was cited for underage under the influence of alcohol at the Wood County Courthouse.

2:19 a.m.

Kate Boes, 20, of Arcadia, Ohio, and Rachael Glauner, 22, of Bowling Green, were cited for disorderly conduct where they were observed fighting in front of 149 North bar.

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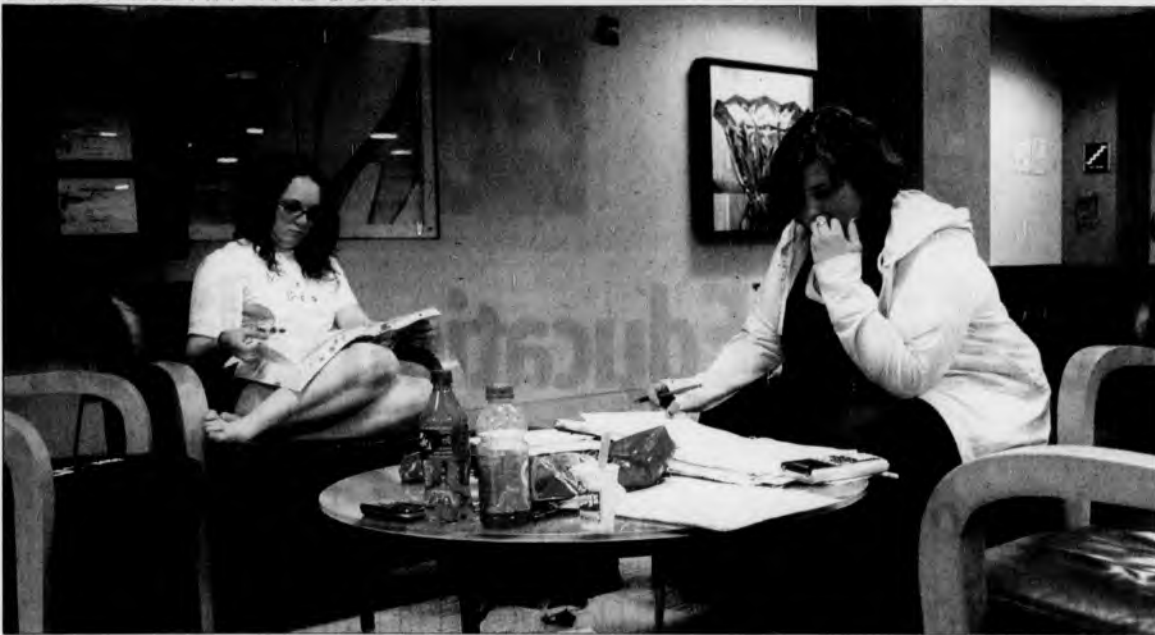
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GETTING SERIOUS: Sophomores Ashley Bauman (left) and Jessica Loughner (right) set up camp on the second floor in the Union. The girls, both marine biology majors, studied all afternoon for their finals. The two said they were a little nervous for the upcoming week but were ready to tackle their chemistry and calculus exams.

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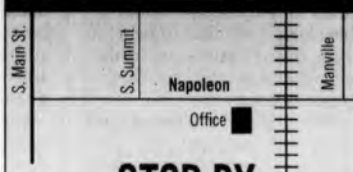
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"It would end up in everything from reduction of personnel, which would be significant, to elimination of all athletic events and any other events that are supported by the schools outside of regular activities."
— Hugh Caumartin, superintendent for Bowling Green City Schools, on a proposed renewal levy [see story, pg. 1].

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PEOPLE ON THE STREET

What issue would you put on the ballot?



"More vegan food."

FIONA KING,
Freshman,
Special Education



"Should classes be allowed to start before 10 a.m.?"

AMANDA DOBIAS,
Junior,
History



"Finding more parking."

RYAN BLANEY,
Freshman,
Criminal Justice



"More Ecuadorian food."

JORGE ILLINGWORTH,
Sophomore,
Supply Chain

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Roundtable discussion: Education edition

With graduation looming, BG News columnists discuss the state of a University education and what the result of a good education ought to look like

Spending more money not the way to improve education



PHIL SCHURRER
FACULTY COLUMNIST

The spring semester is completed. Only final exams remain and, for some, graduation. So, perhaps it's a good opportunity to take a step back and look at American education and draw some conclusions, or at least ideas.

In this country, we have a highly regimented system of classes, credit hours and grades at the collegiate level. Modified forms of this model extend down to the primary grades. Students, faculty and administrators alike are expected to participate fully in this system with the goal at the end of the process being the creation of an educated individual, however that's measured.

For generations, our public schools have been funded by taxation. Money comes largely from the general public rather than exclusively from the users of the system. The rationale has always been that education benefits all of society; therefore, the burden of payment should spread across as wide a spectrum of society as possible.

However, there are storm clouds hovering overhead. For one thing, money is an increasingly scarce commodity at all levels in our educational system. Governmental share of expenses has taken a nose-dive due to the recession, declining property values and a general angst among the population about the efficiency and quality of education.

But in addition to the rebellion against taxation in general, many are scrutinizing the quality of graduates — the system's "product."

With the overall decline in the student population over the past 40 years and increases in educational funding that have exceeded inflation, many would expect a greater number of dollars per student would produce a higher-quality graduate. Many studies, however, as well as anecdotal experience, seem to tell a different story.

More than one college professor has encountered students who cannot do the simplest forms of mental mathematics; students who need to be repeatedly reminded about assignments; and students whose reading, writing and comprehension capabilities are substandard.

The conclusion is that there seems to be a negative correlation

between funds spent per student and the quality of the student in general. The question then quite naturally arises: where is our national return on educational investment?

More problem areas seem to be surfacing as well. The standards of behavior seem to have declined. Students seem to think they have the right to enter and leave a classroom during a lecture at the slightest provocation. Some of my colleagues have wondered how long it will take students to learn this discourtesy is neither appreciated nor tolerated outside the academy.

When many professors and employers evaluate the current crop of students, a certain amount of head shaking seems to be present. Certainly, this is not the first time this has happened; professors, employers and parents alike have always wondered about "the younger generation."

However, the stakes today are much higher. American colleges and universities have always been at the forefront internationally in terms of reputation and quality. We are in danger of losing that edge. And this really does matter in terms of our nation's ability to

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Learning what to think is less crucial than learning how to think



KYLE SCHMIDLIN
FORUM EDITOR

There are a number of things the educated are supposed to receive from their education. Increasingly, the tendency of a college education is toward the development of skill sets and how to interact in the appropriate manner with the professional world after our four years of extended adolescence.

My own view is a little more in line with the famous quote from America's original master of words, Mark Twain: "I never let my schooling interfere with my education."

Even better is this one, from the great German philosopher Immanuel Kant: "Man must develop his tendency towards the good."

It is in the spirit of these two quotes that I approach education, and it is in the spirit of these two quotes that I criticize the education so commonly received in America.

Doubtlessly, the good professors I've had outnumber the bad many times over and across all subjects. I've taken a fairly diverse collection of classes in my five years at the University, including

history, philosophy, astronomy, sociology and, of course, journalism. If education has anything to do with learning or self-improvement, that diversity is crucial.

Too often I hear people complain of gen-ed requirements. And their complaints are understandable. College is expensive. What sense does it make to charge people for classes their future employers have no interest in them taking?

But this view is shortchanging the possibilities of a college education. If you merely want to learn the tricks of a particular trade, there are trade schools for that. A state college such as this one ought to have gen-ed requirements; in fact, they ought to be a bigger bulk of the load.

When I first came to college, I had the cynical view of philosophy that all they were engaging in was a kind of mental masturbation, making up problems and never finding solutions to any of them. While it may still be true that the more philosophy you take, the more you realize how few answers there are, the problems are actually very real.

But it isn't even the problems that make philosophy and the sciences, subject matter shunned by those interested only in thrusting themselves into the working world, so important. What's important about these subjects has less to do with the material

learned and more to do with the manner with which it is learned.

Going through journalism school has given me an appreciation for extraneous courses. Though I have learned lots of important things from intelligent, moral people, there are other things about journalism school which are frightening.

In many cases, the journalism student is stripped of individuality and creativity to achieve the totally artificial ideal of objectivity. Taught to write in Associated Press style to achieve uniformity throughout the nation's papers, journalism students are effectively reduced to assembly line workers, having a particular system for the processing and distribution of information but not so much in the way of analyzing it.

My argument is not so much that this is inherently a bad thing. Lots of reporters, including those working for The BG News, do extremely good work using those very skills, functioning as a watchdog against administration and other powerful people.

Rather, I think everybody could benefit from taking different classes, particularly philosophy and the sciences. These classes introduce a mode of thinking absent from courses designed to teach skills, basically exercises in

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Learning to write is essential



JOSH WHETHERHOLT
ASSISTANT FORUM EDITOR

As my life in college comes to an end, I find myself reflecting on my education at the University.

Most people hate going to school and can't wait to get out. There is a lack of passion to learn and better oneself academically, but those who stick it out are revered and respected.

Going to college and graduating is something fairly significant. But the way students are taught is missing something fairly significant — an emphasis on the written word.

I know you're thinking: "All I do is read stuff for class and write papers all day long." But how many times has the topic of

papers or the subsequent grading really challenged most of us?

Maybe it's because I write constantly that I feel this way, but our education system would benefit greatly if people cared more about writing and writing well.

I remember being in high school and my English teachers tearing people's work apart. At the time, it made me fearful of putting things into print. But ultimately, it made me want to better my education and my writing. I have never once experienced this in college, and it confuses me.

Was there something about my high school or my teachers that made only them care that students could write coherently? Or do college professors just not care about taking time to make sure not only the topic of the paper is correct, but also the prose?

The most important thing to keep in mind is that writing is a subject inclusive of all others. Any

type of topic, from finances to discussing what lies beyond our solar system, can be incorporated into the sphere of writing. There really is no reason emphasis on writing isn't as prevalent as it should be.

Encouragement of others through writing has been one of the most socially-significant ideas in human history.

All the great minds of history have been either incredibly well-spoken, i.e., Benjamin Franklin, Winston Churchill, etc., or they have been great writers whose words inspire others to do great things or open people's minds to new thoughts and philosophies, such as Jonathan Safran Foer, Che Guevara and Hunter S. Thompson. These people have been major influences on our worlds, whether we know it or not.

Almost everyone can think of something they have read somewhere that just really moved them. Some of my fondest memories are of just sitting around reading a great book and being amazed at

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Education is about sharing ideas



PATRICK SAUNDERS
FACULTY COLUMNIST

Spring is a time of new life breaking through the old to rise and bloom, renewing the planet once again.

That is why graduation is so significant. It represents the blooming of a new generation, stepping forward to start their journey. This weekend, we will ceremonialize this in the conferring of degrees upon the class of 2010. It is the beginning of one journey and the denouement of another.

This year, faculty, classified staff and administrators, whose combined years of service add up to centuries, are retiring. This is happening while the University is celebrating its 100th anniversary.

Through it all, the constant that remains is that the human race

needs knowledge to make the planet a better place for all. It is this idea that makes our occupation at the University so special, the passing on of knowledge with the idea it will be used and then passed on to others.

While I came to academia almost as an afterthought, with the bumps, bruises and knowledge of a varied life, I have found it to be the most rewarding pursuit. I get satisfaction out of knowing what we do here at the University is important, that it matters and takes on a life of its own.

An acquaintance once asked me if I regretted not beginning my teaching earlier in life, and I answered if that had happened, I would have been a different person than I am today, without the perspectives that keep me grounded.

I hope the commitment to imparting ideas not found in the world of conformity, never changes. If the University loses that, what separates them from the tech

schools of the world? Although obtaining skill sets is important, the most valuable thing we teach here is the ability to think for one's self. That is what separates us from the Chinas of the world.

The bedrock of this country is our creativity. Successes like Sergey Brin and Larry Page, the creators of Google, happened because there is a free thinking atmosphere in the States that allowed a thing like Google to become reality. China turns out tens of thousands of engineers and mathematicians, but it does not have the one critical thing necessary for innovation: the freedom to think critically.

So now, while I am preparing to leave on the next part of this journey, I will remember and savor my time in the classroom, the experiences and the people I have met while here at the University.

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compete globally.

More and more, intellectual capital is prized around the world. Those who are knowledgeable and current in their field will have an edge. That competitive edge begins in the primary grades and continues through post-secondary education.

If we are to educate, if we are to bring out and develop the potential in ourselves and in others, we need to once again take education seriously. It's not merely a lockstep march marked by grades, credit hours and prerequisite classes. Nor will merely throwing additional money at cure education's problems.

The attitude we bring toward this enterprise — student, faculty and administrator alike — will determine our destiny. At the college level, all of us need to regard education as more than a four-year hiatus in maturation, as "finding ourselves" or merely a job in the faculty or administrative cohort. If nothing more, a renewed sense of patriotism should infuse the attitude we bring to bear on education. This attitudinal change involves all concerned. Our future and the future of our nation is very truly at stake.

It's that important.

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memorization. In philosophy, what is learned is not any truths — if anything, you learn how little you actually know.

What is learned is an approach, one that forces you to evaluate information and arguments and weigh them against one another, separating arguments and claims that are valid and are doing actual work from those that are unsound and ought to be rejected.

Enhanced philosophy and science education could only benefit the student and the nation, doing far more than equipping people with various skills sets or knowledge and enabling them to discern the truth from the fiction. In an age with an increasingly politicized news media and more uncertainty about the world than ever, such classes could only help people see through the fog.

If I were going to add anything from myself to the Wikiquote page from which I took the Kant and Twain quotes, I'd say the goal of education ought to be enabling students to see the difference between good and bad, right and wrong and, maybe most importantly, truth and bullshit.

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how these people could string these words together in such a way. There is something about writing, maybe its permanency, that makes it so romantic in a classical sense. There is not much in our society more poignant than a well-written sentence.

As many of us move on from college and get "big-kid jobs," the importance of reading and writing will greatly diminish. Most people will not be assigned reading for work or be required to type an in-depth paper on some random topic.

This is a serious issue in our society, whether you think so or not. Ignorance will be everywhere as more and more people are too lazy to even read a news story.

The only place for the blame will be on our higher education systems that have not instilled a sense of wonder and amazement at writing and reading the significant words of others.

Reading and writing something beautiful that has the ability to move one's soul is one of those things that just really makes life on this planet worthwhile. Hopefully, more people realize that before it is too late.

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Clinton: Ariz. immigration law invites profiling

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton says Arizona's new immigration law invites racial profiling, and she thinks the state may be overstepping its authority.

Clinton says the law "does what a state doesn't have the authority to do — try to impose their own immigration law."

And she tells NBC's "Meet the Press" there's no doubt it invites racial profiling and that people might be questioned about their immigration status because of their accents.

The law requires police officers to ask people to prove their immigration status if they have a reasonable suspicion they are illegal immigrants.

Napolitano defends response to Gulf oil spill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Obama administration is defending the federal response to the Gulf Coast oil spill.

Homeland Security Secretary Janet Napolitano says the government has taken an "all hands on deck" approach to the spill since the day the BP oil well ruptured off the coast of Louisiana following an explosion.

Napolitano says that as the situation evolved and BP officials realized that more oil was spewing than first thought, the government has coordinated federal, state and local resources with the oil company's response.

Napolitano spoke on "Fox News Sunday."

Clinton has doubts on Afghan reconciliation

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton expects there will be some reconciliation between those fighting in Afghanistan, but she says she doubts that some U.S. foes will be willing to set aside differences.

Clinton tells NBC's "Meet the Press" in an interview aired Sunday that she has doubts whether Taliban leader Mullah Omar will say he's giving up his ties to al-Qaida.

But Clinton says she is not resigned to the Taliban being a part of the Afghan government in the future. She says she doesn't know of any conflict in recent times that didn't have some political resolution.

Clinton says she thinks there are leaders within the Taliban who have come over to the other side. But she says they have to renounce al-Qaida and violence.

Obama dings Leno at correspondents' dinner

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Barack Obama can take a joke — and he knows how to deliver them, too.

This time it was at the expense of White House Correspondents' Association dinner headliner Jay Leno.

Obama dinged Leno as "the only person whose ratings fell more than mine."

Obama also said he was glad he was before Leno.

Obama told the 3,000-strong mix of celebrities, elected officials, political appointees and journalists that "we've all seen what happens when you take the time slot after Leno."

Obama updated on apparent NY car bomb

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House said Sunday that President Barack Obama was being kept up to date on the investigation into the apparent car bomb found in New York City's Times Square.

White House spokesman Nick Shapiro said in a statement that Obama, who attended an annual gala dinner Saturday night for White House news correspondents, praised the quick and effective response by the New York Police Department.

Shapiro said that Obama ordered his homeland security and counterterrorism adviser, John Brennan, to advise New York officials that the federal government was prepared to provide support.

FDIC head: Don't ban bank derivatives business

WASHINGTON — A top government banking regulator wants Senate Democrats to let banks keep most of their business in complex — and profitable — securities known as derivatives.

A sweeping overhaul of banking regulations pending in the Senate would require banks to spin off their derivatives business.

Sheila Bair, the chairwoman of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., said that provision could shift the creation of derivatives contracts outside the reach of regulators.

The derivatives measure, pushed by Lincoln, would require banks to set up separate subsidiaries, with their own source of capital, to run what has been a highly profitable derivatives business.

Jim Kuhnhenn (AP)

Obama heads to Gulf, government defends spill operation

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Barack Obama awaited a first-hand update on the Gulf Coast oil spill as two members of his Cabinet on Sunday outlined the "very grave" environmental impact and sought to counter criticism that the government had reacted slowly.

Homeland Security Secretary Janet Napolitano said the administration had treated the explosion at the BP rig April 20 as a potential disaster from the beginning.

"The physical response on the ground has been from day one as if this could be a catastrophic failure," she said. "Every possible resource was being lined up on shore."

Interior Secretary Ken Salazar said it was uncertain when the oil, spewing from a pipe nearly a

mile beneath the water, would be plugged.

"The scenario is a very grave scenario. You're looking at potentially 90 days before you ultimately get to what is the ultimate solution," said Salazar. But then "a lot of oil could spread."

Obama flew to Louisiana for briefings on the underwater spill, which remained unstoppable and impossible to measure, raising fears it could be pouring more oil into the Gulf than earlier believed. Traveling with him were White House chief of staff Rahm Emanuel, homeland security and counterterrorism adviser John Brennan and energy adviser Carol Browner.

The Coast Guard estimated that at least 1.6 million gallons

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Ken Salazar | Interior secretary

of oil have spilled since the April 20 explosion that killed 11 workers on an offshore rig. In the Exxon Valdez disaster, an oil tanker spilled 11 million gallons off Alaska's shores in 1989.

Obama has relied on reports from agency chiefs and Coast Guard officials since the magnitude of the spill became clear late Wednesday. Aides report he's been getting regular updates.

Salazar, Napolitano and the

administration's point man on the disaster, the commandant of the Coast Guard, Adm. Thad Allen, made the rounds of the Sunday talk shows to defend the federal response.

Allen said it is impossible to know the eventual size of the spill because that will depend on when BP can stop the flow, a technically challenging effort hampered by the well's depth where everything must be done by remote control.

"On the level of complexity, I'd certainly give it nine," said Allen on "State of the Union" on CNN. "We have to stop this oil where it's emanating on the sea floor."

BC Chairman Lamar McKay said the company is "throwing every resource that we've got" at trying to plug the well, calling that the No. 1 priority. Drilling a relief well is expected to take as long as three months, but McKay said a dome, which would be lowered to the sea floor to cover the leaking wellhead, will be ready to be deployed in six to eight days. Such an approach has been used in other well blowouts, but never at a depth of 5,000 feet.

"We're doing everything possible that we know of," said McKay on ABC's "This Week."

McKay rejected criticism that

his company's safety record played a role in the rig explosion and subsequent massive oil spill.

"I believe we've got a failed piece of equipment," he said, referring to the mechanism that was supposed to shut off the well on the sea floor in event of a well blowout.

While no cause has yet been determined for the accident, Salazar also said there "is no doubt at all" that the blowout safeguard mechanism — known as a blowout preventer — was defective. He said the devices are being inspected at other oil rigs in the Gulf.

But Salazar dismissed suggestions that any of the other 30,000 drilling rigs in the Gulf should be shut down because of the issue.

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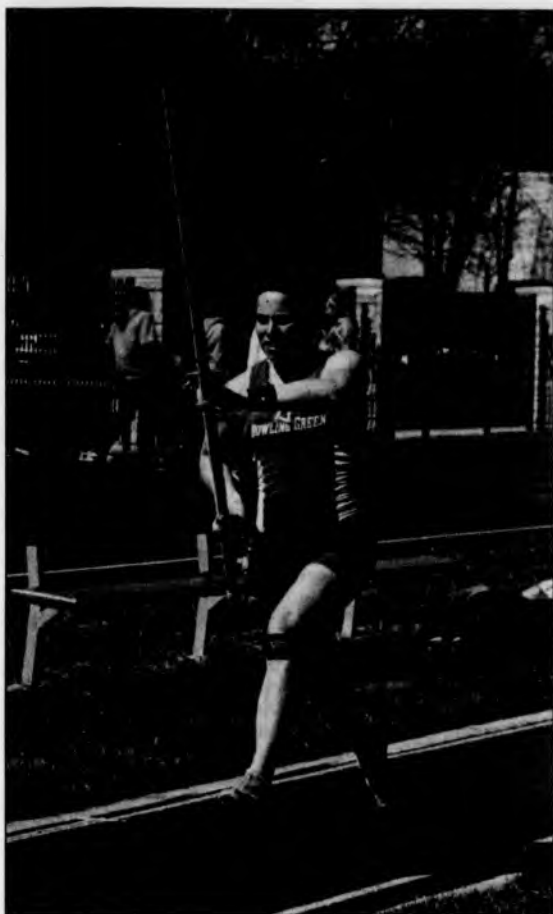
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SPLIT SQUAD: Sabrina Forstein and her teammates competed in two meets this weekend.

BG splits team, performs well in both meets

By Brad Frank
Reporter

The BG track and field team is home from three days of competition in two different cities this weekend.

The team was split between the 26th annual Toledo Invitational and the 25th annual Jesse Owens Track Classic in Columbus.

Some of the team competed in Toledo on Thursday and Friday, while the rest of the team started competing Friday and into Saturday in Columbus. Neither meet was scored.

In Toledo, javelin thrower Paige Lane placed second with a distance of 36.27 meters, just one inch shy of her career mark.

Katie Borgelt finished third

in the 1500 meter run. In the shot put, Brooke McCombs placed second on her way to a personal record, and Ashley Harris finished third with a season best mark.

Kristin Boettcher was the only Falcon to compete in both meets.

She placed second (49.11m) in the hammer throw Thursday at Toledo and then bested that mark on her way to a 29th place finish Friday in Columbus.

Also in Columbus, freshman Jeanette Pettigrew placed first in her heat and set a personal record of 12.08 seconds in the 100 meter dash.

Autumn Dettmann continued her stretch of solid recent

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Can't win em' all



A GOOD RUN: Logan Meisler and his teammates strung together an 11-game win streak before finally having a loss this past weekend.

Falcons take series from Miami, but winning streak ends

By Justin Onslow
Reporter

The Falcons fought hard, but saw their 11-game win streak come to a close Sunday at home against Miami University.

BG (21-19-1, 11-7 MAC) took the first two games of the weekend set in convincing fashion, combining for seven home runs in the two games. The Falcons pounded out 43 hits on the weekend and added four more home runs on Sunday to bring the team total to 41 for the year.

"We've been swinging the bats very well," coach Danny Schmitz said. "I thought we played very well. We won two out of three games and had a chance to win [three]."

Senior third baseman Derek Spencer belted three home runs in the series, including two in Friday's contest. He is now one behind senior center fielder T.J. Blanton, who added two home runs this weekend. Senior left fielder Dennis Vaughn matched Spencer with three home runs, including two Sunday.

Junior Brennan Smith picked up his fourth win of the year in game one, going seven and a third innings. He allowed four earned runs while striking out 10 and walking only two. Smith has won his last

three starts for the Falcons.

"That was one of his better performances," Schmitz said. "It was not an easy day to pitch."

Game 1: BG 14, Miami 8

The Falcons got out to an early lead and continued to tack on runs throughout the game. BG scored in the second inning, added another run in the third and pulled away with three more in the fourth. Miami made a late-inning comeback, but could not cap it off as the Falcons extended their win streak to double digits.

Dennis Vaughn, T.J. Blanton, Jon Berti and Ryan Schlatter all had three hits for the Falcons, who scattered 20 hits in the game. The four also combined for nine of the team's 13 RBIs. Derek Spencer added three RBIs on two home runs.

Game 2: BG 7, Miami 6

BG set the tone early on. The team scored six of its seven runs in the first four frames and held off a Miami comeback to secure the win.

Freshman Michael Frank got the nod for

the Falcons and went four and two thirds innings before giving way to junior Charles Wooten. Wooten went three and a third and picked up his first win of the season. Patrick O'Brien struck out two and threw a perfect ninth inning for his third save of the year.

T.J. Blanton was the team's leading hitter with three hits and two RBIs in the game. Derek Spencer and Mark Galvin each went deep for the Falcons, adding three RBIs in the team's 11th straight win.

Game 3: Miami 8, BG 6

Game three signaled the end of the Falcons' longest winning streak of the year. Senior Kevin Leady's string of dominant performances also came to a halt. Leady went six and a third innings and allowed seven runs (six earned) on eight hits. Sophomore Ross Gerdeman finished out the game and allowed Miami's final run.

BG made a late-inning run, scoring in each of the final three frames, but could not climb out of a 7-3 hole. The Falcons out-hit Miami

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Berger sets school record for homers in loss to Bobcats

Freshman phenom hits 11th home run of season, breaks current assistant coach's 3-year-old record

By Brett Wane
Reporter

Freshman Paige Berger came up to the plate in an 8-8 game in extra innings and hit her record-setting 11th homerun to give the Falcons a one-run lead.

It was Ohio University however, that got the final laugh as they led off the bottom part of the inning with back to back solo home runs to get the 10-9 victory on Saturday. OU would then go on to defeat the Falcons 9-1 in the second game of the doubleheader.

Against BG, the Bobcats were able to hit two grand slams on the day and opened up a 4-0 lead in the second game of their doubleheader.

The Falcons had a 6-1 lead before the Bobcats scored seven runs in the bottom of the second inning during the first game leading up to the dramatic finish.

Bowling Green out hit Ohio 13-11 due in large part to the top five spots in the batting order.

They went a combined 13-for-24, driving in six runs. Berger led

the way with four RBI to go with her eighth inning home run.

The Falcons lost to Akron in the first game of their doubleheader Friday by a score of 2-0, but responded with 21 hits and a 9-7 victory in the second game, snapping an eight-game losing streak.

BG is now 11-25 overall and 7-11 in Mid-American Conference play. After the opening loss to Akron, the Falcons wasted little time scoring runs. BG led 4-0 after the first inning and 6-2 after the third.

Zada Lines led BG at the plate during their victory by going 4-4 with a homerun and four RBIs. Susan Sontag went 4-5, while Freshmen Hannah Fulk and Paige Berger each had three hits.

With the split against Akron and two losses by Western Michigan, the Falcons were able to move into sole possession of seventh place in the MAC conference standings.

The Falcons will finish the regular season next weekend when they play at Buffalo Friday at 1 p.m. and then travel to Kent State for games Saturday at 2 p.m. and Sunday at 1 p.m.



COME HOME: Paige Berger is greeted by her teammates after one of her school record 11 home runs this season.

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GOLF

Falcons finish ninth in MAC

The BG men's golf team finished ninth at the Mid-American Conference Championships this past weekend, ending their season on a low note after a promising start.

| See Tuesday's paper

WOMEN'S HOOPS

Falcons hand out postseason awards

The BG women's basketball team handed out postseason awards at their annual end of the year banquet. Amongst the award winners were Lauren Prochaska and Tara Breske.



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TRACK

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performances with a personal record in the mile on her way to a second-place finish.

With another weekend of competition complete, the Falcons are one step closer to completing the season-long journey at the MAC Championships in two weeks.

"The entire season is an opportunity to prepare for MAC and this weekend was just another step and opportunity to learn and better prepare for all situations and competition," said coach Cami Wells.

The meet in Columbus featured more depth and better competition than in any meet the Falcons have competed in or will compete in this season, but the experience is valuable and something to learn from.

"To be able to compete against great competition allows you to raise your level of competition and gain confidence for the future," Wells said.

Needing a bit of rest, the Falcons will regroup this week and shift their focus to final exams before getting back into competition this Friday and Saturday at the Len Paddock Invitational in Ann Arbor, Mich.

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Halak leads Habs to victory

Goaltender rebounds from game one struggles, makes 38 saves on way to 3-1 series evening victory

Alan Robinson
The Associated Press

PITTSBURGH — Mike Cammalleri scored two goals, Jaroslav Halak made 38 saves in a performance much like his series-stealing play during Montreal's first-round upset of Washington and the Canadiens surprised the Pittsburgh Penguins by winning 3-1 on Sunday.

Brian Gionta also scored as Montreal, playing without injured defenseman Andrei Markov, bounced back from a 6-3 loss in Game 1 and an early 1-0 Pittsburgh lead to even the Eastern Conference semifinal series at one game each.

Game 3 is Tuesday night in Montreal, followed by Game 4 on Thursday. The first playoff series between the teams since 1998 returns to Pittsburgh for Game 5 on Saturday.

Halak, pulled after allowing five goals on 20 shots in Game 1, made big save after big save as the Canadiens won despite being outshot 39-21. Sidney Crosby didn't score for the second successive game, and neither did Evgeni Malkin.

Cammalleri put Montreal ahead 2-1 by scoring on a power play in the second period, then sealed it by stealing the puck from Crosby at mid-ice and

beating Marc-Andre Fleury on a breakaway with 2:54 remaining.

Penguins forward Craig Adams, getting more ice time as Jordan Staal sat out with a serious right foot injury, was ejected 30 seconds later for driving Marc-Andre Bergeron into the boards from behind as Bergeron was playing the puck in a corner. Bergeron was helped back to the bench, and it wasn't immediately certain if he was hurt.

A dud of a game for the favored Penguins couldn't have started much better. Matt Cooke swept a backhand past Halak 4:38 into the game. The Canadiens lacked not only momentum but also their best defenseman as Markov sat out with an apparent left knee injury caused by a Cooke hit in Game 1.

Canadiens coach Jacques Martin didn't announce his Game 2 goaltender until minutes before game time after replacing Halak with Carey Price late in Game 1. After the early goal, Halak did everything he could to justify the decision, and the Canadiens helped out by killing all three Pittsburgh power plays. The Penguins went 4-for-4 in Game 1, the first time since 1992 they scored four times with the man

advantage in a playoff game.

Unlike that game, when Halak gave up five goals on the first 18 shots he faced, he settled down and again was the goalie that Washington simply could not beat. Then, Halak turned aside 131 of the final 134 shots he faced as Montreal became the first eighth-seeded team to rally from a 3-1 series deficit and beat a top-seeded team.

The Penguins kept pressing for a goal while taking 18 shots in the second period, and coach Dan Bylsma — aware that a 2-0 deficit might be daunting for the injury-thinned Canadiens — paired stars Crosby and Malkin for several shifts that didn't generate any scoring.

Instead, the Canadiens — no longer contending with Staal, the Penguins' top penalty killer — broke through goalie Fleury for two pivotal goals.

Cammalleri, who has points in all but one of Montreal's nine playoff games, put in a rebound of rookie defenseman P.K. Subban's deflected shot from the point at 7:29 of the second for his seventh of the playoffs. The goal came 12 seconds into a power play created by Brooks Orpik's holding penalty.

Subban didn't get into the lineup until Game 6 against

Washington, yet played 23 minutes and 17 seconds while absorbing most of the 26 minutes a game Markov normally plays. Markov returned to Montreal for treatment and his return is uncertain.

Gionta had tied it at 15:48 of the first as Scott Gomez gathered a rebound of Benoit Pouliot's shot that deflected off the rear boards and steered it in front.

The Canadiens didn't draw a penalty until Hal Gill's interference penalty with 6 seconds left in the second period, then killed off three penalties over the next 10 minutes-plus.

NOTES: Extra policemen were deployed at Mellon Arena for security purposes after the Pittsburgh Marathon was disrupted briefly earlier in the day. Police discovered a suspicious device on a downtown street corner, but it apparently was not a bomb. ... Penguins D Jordan Leopold (concussion) played for the first time since being injured by an Andy Sutton hit April 16 against Ottawa. ... Staal (severed tendon in right foot) sat out with an injury for the first time in his four-season career. He missed one game as a healthy scratch early in his rookie season in 2006-07.



PICK UP: Brennan Smith (right) picks up a loose ball while catcher Ryan Schalter looks on.

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BASEBALL

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10-9, but did not capitalize on some big opportunities to seal the comeback.

"We had some opportunities to break the game open and didn't quite do it," Schmitz said. "Miami was just better than us [Sunday]."

Dennis Vaughn was the leading hitter for the Falcons. He went 3-for-4 with two home runs and two RBIs in the game. Vaughn was 7-for-13 with five RBIs over the weekend. T.J. Blanton and Matt Pitzulo added a home run each for BG.

With its streak extinguished, BG will look to get hot again next weekend against Akron at home. The Zips sit at the bottom of the Mid-American Conference standings and present an opportunity for the Falcons to make a late push for the conference lead.

"All the games are big, but we just play them one at a time," Schmitz said. "Once you start thinking about too much or putting the cart before the horse, you're going to be in trouble."

Friday's game against Akron is slated for 3 p.m. at Steller Field.

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LEED

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in 2006, but we've been doing energy conservation for a long time," Dial said.

Dial hopes to make OSU one of the most sustainable universities in the country. The university, as of December 2008, put in place its official policy to reduce on- and off-campus building energy consumption by 20 percent by 2014 to comply with an Ohio House Bill.

The other five universities have made strides toward environmentally friendly initiatives in other ways. UT is working to improve sustainability after receiving a D+ on 2009 College Sustainability report card.

UT Director of Energy Management Harvey Vershum said the university is doing this by improving buildings on campus to meet LEED standards and it has made improvements in climate change and energy, food and recycling, green buildings and student involvement. KSU and OU are approaching eco-friendly initiatives through the establishment of sustainability groups and committees.

In fall 2008, KSU President Lester Left announced the university was starting its own sustainability task force composed of nine different subcommittees whose goals are to increase sustainability on campus.

"By creating the task force and my job, it allows us to connect dots and create a baseline," said Melanie Knowles, manager of sustainability at KSU. "One hundred people are involved in the [sustainability] task force. We bring ideas and brainstorm what should Kent State be doing, what options do we have and we make recommendations about those discussions."

At OU, there is a comprehensive sustainability process group, said Erin Sykes, a member of the sustainability staff at the university.

"[This group] develops goals for the whole campus for building, dining, fundraising, academics and low or no-cost improvements," she said.

Establishing sustainability programs on campus has been the initiatives of all of the universities. Both BGSU and the UC have established a bike program, where students can use community bikes to travel around campus.

The UC's green movement has grown to include recycling projects, events, lectures, film series and workshops, said UC Sustainability Coordinator Shaw Tubb.

"I think at a university, [sustainability] is particularly important because we have access to so many students, and community members who look to the university as a role model," Tubb said.

—Editor's note: Angela Green, Shaina Smith, Brittany Washington and Josh Whetters contributed reporting to this story.

MEMORIAL

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built a bridge to help himself and others after him get across.

"In many ways, Heather was a bridge builder," Palmer said. "All along the way she stopped and built bridges large and small. As one who passed along one of those bridges, I say, thank you Heather."

SCHOOL

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for the levy because it will help the district maintain what it has without any additional costs to voters, he said.

Caumartin said it is critical for University students to vote on the issue, and supporting the schools will benefit educational students by allowing for job opportunities.

"It would be between 1,200 to 1,400 students who are going out into education looking for jobs," Caumartin said. "And without this money, we won't be hiring."

He said schools all over Ohio are cutting positions, from smaller districts like Wapakoneta to major ones like Cleveland, which just announced it would eliminate over 730 teachers.

"So you want to make sure you keep as many opportunities as you can, so it would be well worth their while to vote," Caumartin said.

If the levy fails, many programs such as the Alcohol/Drug Prevention will be eliminated, as well as gifted programming, Offenbergsaid.

The district will also have to reduce 17 certified teachers at all levels, four tutors and one administrator.

He said there are no planned building closings.

PARKS

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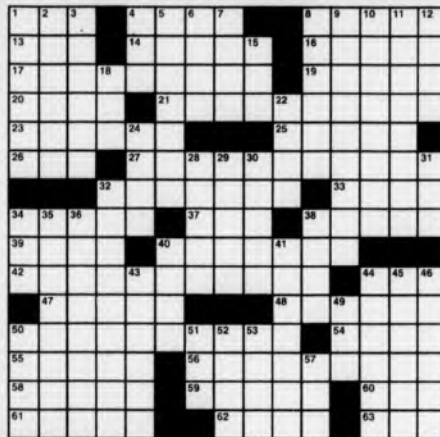
chance to secure funding in the fall.

"If we have to go back in the fall, instead of a replacement, we might go back for a straight renewal," she said. "The difference is we would be getting money based on 2004 property tax values, so we lose about \$100,000 with a renewal rather than a replacement."

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- 4 Squabble
- 8 Exorbitant
- 13 Mo. in 1781 in which Cornwallis surrendered
- 14 "Really Going Out With Him?"
- 16 Volcanic flowers?
- 17 Princeton jazzman?
- 19 Retirement legislation acronym
- 20 One way to run
- 21 "Egg-laying for Dummies," etc.?
- 23 Disappear
- 25 Par
- 26 Subj. including grammar
- 27 What a New York baseball owner would do to ensure player fitness?
- 32 It's hard to cut through
- 33 Company with toy trucks
- 34 Young hooter
- 37 LAX datum

- 38 Its youngest British member, Elise Tan Roberts, was admitted at age 2
- 39 Pres. Jefferson
- 40 Like Wiener schnitzel
- 42 Sign outside a boarded-up JFK?
- 44 Joker
- 47 Figure of speech
- 48 Hard to endure
- 50 Little Londoner?
- 54 Rte. through Houston
- 55 Litmus reddeners
- 56 Carpet-cleaning android?
- 58 Indian royal
- 59 Parts of some support systems?
- 60 100%
- 61 Imitators
- 62 Latin infinitive
- 63 Hope unit

- 1 Desert known for Joshua trees
- 2 Nickname for a player who performs under pressure
- 3 Like espresso
- 4 Bonn pronoun
- 5 Fired (up)
- 6 Author Sholem
- 7 Pad: Asian noodle dish
- 8 Record holder
- 9 Sullied
- 10 Not a good sign
- 11 Facility
- 12 Jr.'s exam
- 15 Abbr. often following a comma
- 18 Brew follower?
- 22 Classic Welles role
- 24 "Let it stand"
- 28 Genesis
- 29 Shipping container weights
- 30 Day star?
- 31 Airport safety gp.
- 32 Squad car cop, often
- 34 Taxonomic suffix
- 35 Choppy seas feature
- 36 Nancy's region
- 38 Dole
- 40 Author Harte
- 41 Quarrels
- 43 Works
- 44 Bachelor pad amenity
- 45 Colored circle around the pupil
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LOS ANGELES — More doctors in California are using a prescription monitoring program to curb drug abuse. Yet the state is unable to share information with other states.

Since September, more than 2,300 doctors and other practitioners in California have used a secure website to access 134,000 patient reports.

Forty states have passed legislation to allow prescription drug monitoring programs, but only 34 are operating. There is a push under way to have a coordinated system where doctors could find if a patient filled a prescription anywhere across the nation.

Greg Risling (AP)

Crews race to fix break in Boston's water supply

BOSTON — Crews worked Sunday on a quicker-than-expected fix to a major water break that left some 2 million people in the Boston area without clean water, halting coffee sales at many Dunkin' Donuts, triggering runs on bottled water and prompting the governor to warn against price gouging.

Residents were told to boil tap water for drinking or cooking since some untreated water had entered the system. It remained safe for showering and toilet flushing.

Adding to the pressure was an unseasonably warm spring forecast for the area, with the temperature predicted to reach a summer-like 88 degrees.

Glen Johnson (AP)

Pakistani group claims NYC car bomb responsibility

NEW YORK — Police combed through a charred SUV and a crude assortment of explosives Sunday for clues to a failed Times Square bombing, as a monitoring group reported that the Pakistani Taliban had claimed responsibility for the terrorist threat.

An intelligence monitoring group released a one-minute video allegedly from the Pakistani Taliban, in which it claimed responsibility for the failed bombing in a smoking SUV left parked in the city on Saturday night, clearing thousands of tourists and theatergoers from the city's busiest district.

Deepti Hajela (AP)
Tom Hays (AP)

Mexican traffickers get help from US prison gangs

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — When Mexican drug traffickers need someone killed or kidnapped, or drugs distributed in the United States, they increasingly call on American subcontractors — U.S.-based prison gangs that run criminal enterprises from behind bars, sometimes even from solitary confinement.

Prison gangs have long controlled armies of street toughs on the outside. But in interviews with The Associated Press, authorities say the gangs' activity has expanded beyond street-level drug sales to establish a business alliance with Mexican cartels.

The partnership benefits both sides: The gangs give drug traffickers a large pool of experienced criminals and established distribution networks in the U.S. And the cartels provide the prison gangs with discounted drugs and the logistical support of top criminal organizations.

Christopher Sherman (AP)

Weekend storms kill 6 in Tenn., 3 in Miss.

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Six people were killed in Tennessee and three in northern Mississippi by a line of storms that brought heavy flooding and tornadoes to the region over the weekend. More rain and storms loomed Sunday as emergency officials in Tennessee sought help from the state's Army National Guard and urged people to stay off roads and interstate highways turned into raging rivers.

The Tennessee Emergency Management Agency revised the death toll downward about an hour after announcing that eight people had been killed. On Sunday morning, the agency asked for the state's National Guard to help with rescue operations and Gov. Phil Bredesen was getting hourly updates on the storm.

TEMA spokesman Jeremy Heidt confirmed that one person died around 4 a.m. Sunday in a tornado near Pochontas, about 70 miles east of Memphis. The other deaths in Tennessee were all due to flooding, TEMA said.

Erik Schelzig (AP)

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